

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1194

SENATE BILL NO. 2815

By Roller, Black, Berke, Burks

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2761

By Tidwell, Williams

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-210, relative to the criminal offense of leaving the scene of a boat accident.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-210, is amended by adding the following language as new subsections:

(e) It is a Class A misdemeanor for any person to fail to stop or comply with the requirements of subsection (a) when such person knew or reasonably should have known that serious injury resulted from the accident.

(f) It is a Class E felony for any person to fail to stop or comply with the requirements of subsection (a) when such person knew or reasonably should have known that death resulted from the accident.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 20, 2008



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 20th day of June 2008



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR